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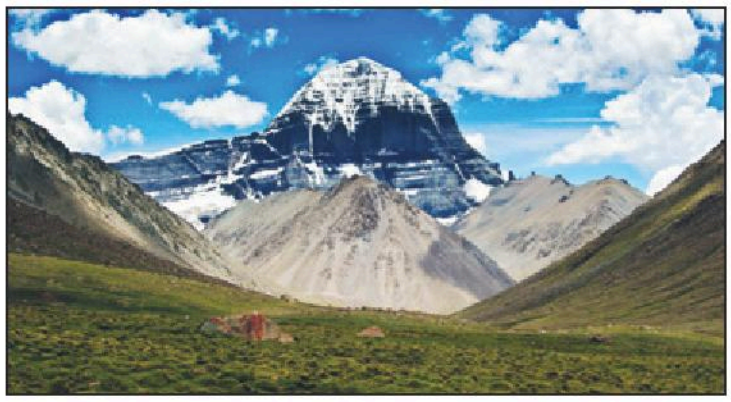
Kailash Manasarowar Yatra

12 pilgrims from city safe

District Administration collects more information about other pilgrims; Inclement weather hampers rescue operations

Mysuru, July 3 (RK,Nagaiah& BCT)- Inclement weather is preventing operation of flights to evacuate over 290 pilgrims from Karnataka — including from Mysuru, Ramanagaram, Malavalli and Hassan — who have been stranded in Nepal and Tibet along the route of the Kailash Manasarowar Yatra.

So far, nine pilgrims (in one group) and three (in another group), who have left Mysuru on the yatra, have been identified and at present they are at the Tribhuvan International Airport in Kathmandu. The Mysuru District Administration is collecting more information about other pilgrims, if any, who have gone on Kailash Manasarowar Yatra.



With heavy rains and landslips, many pilgrims are stranded at Simikot Town, Nepal, which is close to the entry point to Tibet. Only mini-airplanes can ply the area owing to the weather conditions. While pilgrims have found shelter at local hotels or at roadside shops converted to accommodate them for now, the weather has been taking its toll especially on older pilgrims, said those stranded.

One report says that some pilgrims went on the yatra through Asian Travels and their information has been passed on to a control room set up in Bengaluru. According to the information, Malathesh, Venkatesh, Damodar of Mysuru and Ramshetty of Channarayapatna in Hassan are safe and have reached Tribhuvan International Airport.

Another report says that 35 pilgrims have left Malavalli and they have been taken on the yatra by a private television channel. But there is no information on the pilgrims from State Emergency Operation Centre (SEOC), Bengaluru.

According to the District officials, a group of nine pilgrims from Mysuru have gone on the pilgrimage and they have been sent through N.J. Reddy, a retired Marshal. Reddy arranged the trip through Mumbai-based Prana Chikitsa Kendra. Accordingly, Sudhir Prabhakar and Jagadeeshwari Prabhakar from Ramakrishnanagar H Block, Amritha of Kuvempunagar, Dr. Prema of Siddhartha Layout, Girish and Chaitra Girish, Poornima, Thejaswini and Jayashree left Mysuru last week and were caught in adverse weather.

(See PILGRIMS on page 8)

Hinkal flyover to open before Dasara: MP

MP Pratap Simha inspecting the flyover works on Mysuru-Hunsur Road near Hinkal in city this morning as the officials from MUDA and National Highway look on.

Mysuru, July 3 (RK&NNN)- The much delayed work on the construction of flyover on Mysuru-Hunsur Highway near Hinkal will be completed before Dasara 2018 in October, said Mysuru-Kodagu MP Pratap Simha.

The MP, along with officials of Mysuru Urban Development Authority (MUDA) and National Highway Authority of India (NHAI), inspected the ongoing works this morning. Pratap Simha said that officials have been asked to speed up the work and complete it at the earliest as it is causing a lot of traffic bottlenecks at the junction.

The flyover which was also called a grade separator earlier as it was supposed to connect four roads will now be called just the flyover as there are hurdles in constructing grade separators below the flyover, he said.

The cost of the project when it began was Rs. 14.81 crore. While Central Government will fund 60 percent of the costs, State Government will contribute 20 percent and MUDA will share 20 percent of the project cost.

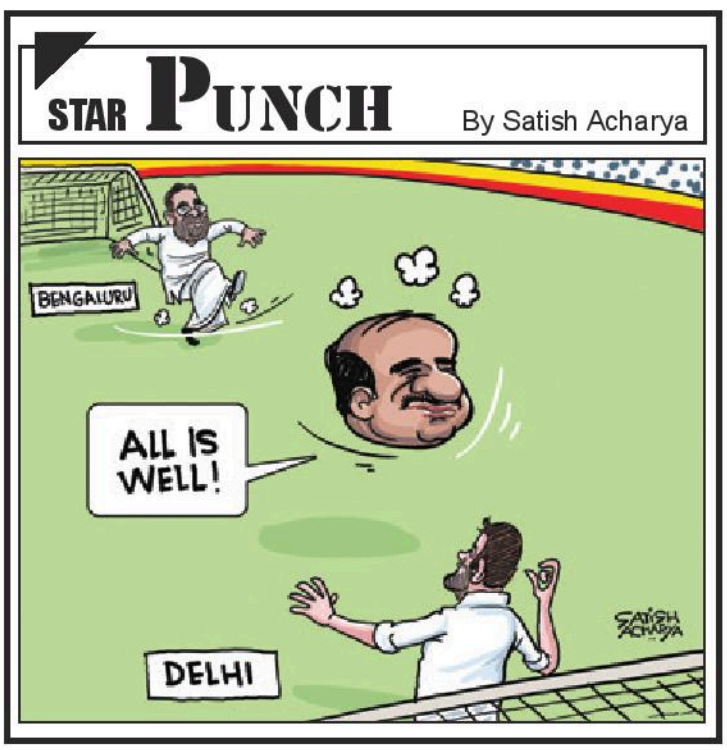
(See FLYOVER on page 8)

12 boys, football coach found alive after nine days in Thailand cave

Bangkok, July 3 (UNI)- Twelve boys and their football coach trapped in a Thai cave are alive, but will need to learn to dive or wait months for flooding to recede before they can get out, the army says. The group had been missing for nine days before they were found by divers late on Monday on a small dry ledge. Rescuers are now battling rising water to bring more supplies to the group. They may need to have food sent in for at least the next four months.

Attempts were being made to install power and telephone lines inside the cave to let the boys speak with their parents.

(See CAVE on page 8)



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Editor: M. GOVINDE GOWDA, M.A.
Editor-in-Chief K.B. Ganapathy B.A.; B.L.
Mysuru, Tuesday 3rd July 2018

Committing to *memory* without *comprehension*

Translating the Sanskrit word *vidya* to *education* has its origins in the manner of most people, particularly the lay masses, considering *schooling* and education are synonymous in meaning. Further, drawing from the land's ancient texts (in Sanskrit), scholars have perceived *vidya* as the field of learning in a virtual infinite horizon. The common perception of education in our times is go through years of *learning* from school-stage onwards in broad areas of science, arts, commerce, engineering, medicine and lately business administration or management science, mainly as a means to an end, the end being certification as proof of one's qualification to be considered for employment either in government establishments or private organisations. The years spent after being employed is loosely accepted as one's *experience*. Provided this phase adds to one's *knowledge* in whatever field of calling, all will be well in the world. But, does that happen always? is the question, barring exceptions.

Certificates of degrees and diplomas with stamp and signatures of the issuing authorities as well as marks scored in the qualifying examination, *prima facie*, are passed as proof of one's *fitness* for specific jobs in the current dispensation. The provision of reservation of jobs in the land's Constitution for some sections in society renders the debates on the connect between *fitness* and certification restrict openness of expressing one's views on the matter for obvious reasons.

Keeping aside the various none-too-desirable features in the land's education sector such as *(a)* Unacademic ways of producing school textbooks, *(b)* Recruiting teachers lacking in the necessary aptitude for teaching, *(c)* Influx of students to *teaching shops* aggressively advertising their claims for 100 percent success in board examinations, *(d)* Episodes of question papers leaking, *(e)* Malpractice in the examination hall and so on, one may permit oneself the liberty of underrating the army of teachers compulsively guiding their students to merely *memorise* the answers to a set pattern of questions drawn from a *question bank* not focussed on *comprehension* of whatever is prescribed as curriculum. The plight of a large number of students who don't cross the bar even in this system is beyond words, excepting portraying this mass as wasted human resources.

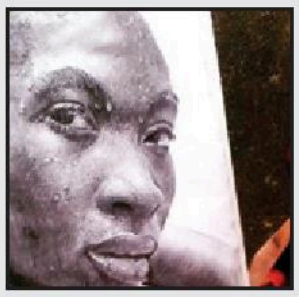
The central point of the debates in many circles, namely the feature of the students scoring high marks being a measure of their ability to memorise rather than comprehending as the means to knowledge continues to be talked about without action. In this context the report in the media that the State Government in mulling open book examination in school stage augurs well for the future.

EDITOR'S BOTTOMLINE

Bharatiya Janata Party (BJP) remembered its icon Syama Prasad Mookerjee, Congress recalled Sanjay Gandhi. Both had died under mysterious circumstances on June 23. Mookerjee died ostensibly of a heart attack in the custody of the Jammu and Kashmir Police on June 23, 1953. Gandhi's plane had crashed when he flew from New Delhi's Safdarjung Airport on June 23, 1980. Mookerjee was the Founder of the Bharatiya Jana Sangh, the earlier avatar of the BJP. While the BJP and the Congress remembered their respective leaders, they also questioned the contribution of the other party's icon. If Congress pointed out how Mookerjee had opposed the Congress-led independence movement, BJP mocked Gandhi's forced sterilisation drive during the Emergency. *— In Business Standard.*

NEWS SPARKLERS

Hyperrealistic drawings by young artist



Lagos: 11-year-old Kareem Waris Olamilekan has become a professional artist with some stunning hyperrealistic artworks in his portfolio.

Kareem, who hails from Lagos, Nigeria, started expressing his artistic talents when he was around six-years-old, by drawing his favorite cartoon characters. His big break however, occurred two years later, when he and his family moved houses and he discovered the Ayowole Art Vocational Academy.

Kareem Waris Olamilekan is being hailed as Nigeria's youngest professional artist, and already boasts an impressive 27,000 fans on Instagram alone, but his success did not come easy. He recalls secretly buying 20 sheets of paper every time his mom would send him shopping for food, so he could have something to draw on, and using a flashlight in the middle of the night, because his home had no electricity.

Shaved ice so tall you can't eat by sitting

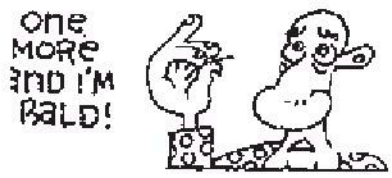
Miyazaki: If you're looking for the craziest, most outrageous shaved ice treat in the country, you have to go to Hyakusho Udon, in Miyazaki Prefecture, but you'll have to eat it standing.

No, Hyakusho Udon doesn't have a standing up policy, it's just that their famous shaved ice desserts are so incredibly tall that it's almost impossible to eat them with a spoon while sitting down.

Just reaching the top of the colorful, syrup-soaked dessert with the spoon is a huge challenge for most people, and then there's the risk of causing the tower of refreshing goodness to come tumbling down by mistake. Standing up is definitely the safe way to go, and considering you're getting a lot more than your money's worth, it's a decent compromise. The syrup and condensed milk treats come in two sizes, small and medium.

HEALTH CAPSULE by Bron Smith

What is Trichotillomania?



Trichotillomania is the obsessive-compulisve behaviour of pulling hair, usually from the scalp or eyebrows. 1 to 5% of people are affected by the disorder. Efforts to stop the behaviour are rarely successful, but it may be managed with behavioural modification therapy.

** Health Capsules is not intended to be of a diagnostic nature.*

Postal Diploma in Co-op. Management Course

Mysuru, July 3- The Karnataka Institute of Co-operative Management, Sahakara Bhavana, Chamaraja Double Road, Mysuru, is offering a six-month Postal Diploma course in Co-operative Management.

The admission to the course is open only for employees of Co-operative Associations and Organisations located in Mysuru, Mandya and Chamarajanagar.

The application form costing Rs.200 is available at the Institute. Last date to apply is July 16.

For details, contact Ph: 0821-2520563 or Mob: 91415-74147 or 94490-75746.

Calling artistes to perform atop Chamundi Hill during Ashada

Mysuru, July 3- The Department of Kannada and Culture has invited applications from music troupes interested to render classical vocal, light music, devotional songs, harikathe, folk songs at Raaga Ragini Mantapa atop Chamundi Hill during Ashada Fridays and Janmotsava celebrations.

Teams willing to participate free of cost can apply within 5 pm on July 12 at the Office of the Assistant Director, Department of Kannada and Culture, Kalamandira premises, or contact Ph: 0821-2513225, according to a press release.

Vasundhara Doraswamy to US

Mysuru, July 3- Dr. Vasundhara Doraswamy is proceeding to USA on an invitation from various cultural organisations on July 4 from Bengaluru and returning to Mysuru during the second week of Sept. 2018. She will be conducting workshop, lecture-demo, solo programmes and preparing disciples for Rangapravesha.

She will visiting New York, New Jersey, Washington DC, Florida, Kentucky and Alabama. She will be presenting her rare choreography Kshatra Draupadi of Kumaravyasa Bharata.

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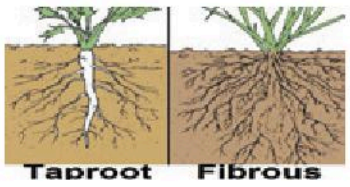
VOICE OF THE READER

More on tree spacing and tree planting



Sir,

This is with reference to your recent *WhatsApp Us* titled **'Will this oxygen supplier at Railway Station survive?'** It is a wrong concept to say that space is necessary around the stem of trees to allow the water to reach the roots.

Generally, these trees belong to the adventitious root system where the roots grow laterally to quite a distance of several metres. It is not very uncommon even to see the roots making their way into sewage lines in search of water. The other type of roots is the 'Tap root system' where the root grows deep down vertically for a considerable distance. As such water seeping from around the stem may not be of much significance.

Apart from this, trees have the strength to uproot even the rocks, let alone cement slabs or asphalted surface by their growth. At the most, the stem may undergo marginal circumferential constriction.

However, I do agree leaving some space around the trees adds to the beauty but it may not be mandatory.

It may not be out of place here to write about the falling of trees during monsoon. Trees become susceptible to fall mainly because of the hugeness of its super structure and also for losing its uniform growth as they lean precariously to one side, thanks to CESC chopping off the branches on one side.

To avoid this, I would suggest the authorities to plant more number of flower bearing trees which grow to a height of not more than 20 to 30 feet.

—Dr. C.G. Narasimhan
Mysuru
29.6.2018

'Developing Positive Attitude is the quintessence of contemporary teachers'

Dr. N. N. Prahallada seen with Prof. I. S. Shivakumar, Director, HRDC, Bangalore University, and his colleagues Dr. Vaidya and Dr. Nagaraju along with participants.

Mysuru, July 3- "Self-esteem is the decision made by an individual as an attitude towards the self. It encompasses beliefs about oneself for example, 'I am competent', 'I am worthy', as well as emotional states such as triumph, despair, pride and shame," said Dr. N. N. Prahallada, former Faculty, Regional Institute of Education (RIE), NCERT, Mysuru, while delivering a special lecture to the participants of Human Resource Development Centre (HRDC) of Bangalore University here recently.

He said self - esteem relates to one's appreciative and realistic opinion of oneself. Developing positive attitude would make a person happier who can see the bright side of life and expects the best to happen. The benefits of positive attitude are many — it helps achieve set goals and attain success. makes person pleasant and will be liked my many, increases self- confidence, promotes energy, enthusiasm, interest and even curiosity and improves one's abilities. Therefore, teachers at all levels of education must make students to develop Positive Attitude which is the need of the hour

Prof. I. S. Shivakumar, Director, HRDC, Dr. Vaidya and Dr. Nagaraju of HRDC were present.

As many as 51 participants from Karnataka and Kerala attended the special lecture followed by a question and answer session.

Talk on "Positive Thinking for Women as Achievers"

Seen on the dais are Dr. Anisha Kumar, Principal, St. Joseph's College for Women, Sathagalli, Prof. Parashivamurthy, chief guest, Rev. Fr. Bijesh Thomas, In-charge Priest, St. Joseph's Colleges and Christiana Taylor, PU Principal.

Mysuru, July 3- A talk on "Positive Thinking for Women as Achievers" was conducted for Degree students of St.Joseph's College for Women, Sathagalli. Around 250 students participated in the orientation which was inaugurated by chief guest Prof. Parashivamurthy and Rev. Fr. Bijesh Thomas, In-charge Priest of St Joseph's Colleges. Dr. Anisha Kumar, Principal, Degree College, welcomed. Christiana Taylor, Principal PU College, proposed a vote of thanks.

Zoo animal adoption continues

Mysuru, July 3 - The following persons have adopted the animals of Mysuru Zoo under 'Adoption of Animals' scheme by paying the adoption fee:

Medha Shivaram, Bengaluru-Sun Conure (Rs.2,000); Nalini Kumar, Bengaluru-Indian Cobra (Rs.2,000); R.Vanitha, Mysuru - King Cobra (Rs.3,500) M.K. Ranganatha, Mysuru - King Cobra (Rs.3,500); Sharada Subhashini, Bengaluru-King Cobra (Rs.3,500); Sahisnu Nimmakayalu, Bengaluru-Grey Parrot (Rs.2,000); Mayura Sambhaji Rao, Maharashtra - Owl (Rs.3,500); B.V. Swathi, Tumakuru - Common Peafowl (Rs.3,500); A.T. Likith, Mysuru- King Cobra (Rs.3,500); Krish & Krithi, Shivamogga - Mouse Deer & Livigston's Turaco (Rs.9,500); Kumar Kashyap, Mysuru - Ring Tailed Lemur (Rs.5,000); Rajagopal, Mysuru - Love Bird (Rs.1,000); Pradyumna Bharadwaj, Bengaluru - Mottled Wood Owl (Rs.7,000); Pavana Prakash, Bengaluru -Common Barn Owl & Tawny Eagle (Rs.18,500); K.S. Narasimha Murthi, Mysuru - Smooth Coated Otter & Leopard Cat (Rs.10,000), Arun S.Bhat, Bengaluru- Peacock (Rs.3,500) and Nidad Datta, Mysuru - Love Bird (Rs.1,000), according to a press release.

Samskruthotsava celebrations at BVB

Mysuru, July 3- As part of its 13th year celebration of Sanskrit Day "Samskruthotsava" with the theme *"Sarvam Shri Krishnamayam,"* Bharatiya Vidya Bhavan (BVB) School has organised various competitions for students on July 7 (Saturday) at 10 am at Bharatiya Vidya Bhavan School in Vijayanagar.

Competitions will be held in below mentioned categories:

Category 1 – LKG & UKG – Fancy Dress; Category 2 – I and II Std – Sanskrit Story Telling; Category 3 – III and IV Std – Recitation; Category 4 – V to VII Std – Sanskrit Bhajan; Category 5 – VIII to X Std – Quiz in Sanskrit on Shri Krishna.

Registration starts by 9 am, Participants are expected to be present at the venue 30 minutes prior to the commencement of the competition. Participation certificate will be provided to all the participants. Schools participating in all the events are eligible for the Rolling Trophy. Prize distribution on the same day during the valedictory function.

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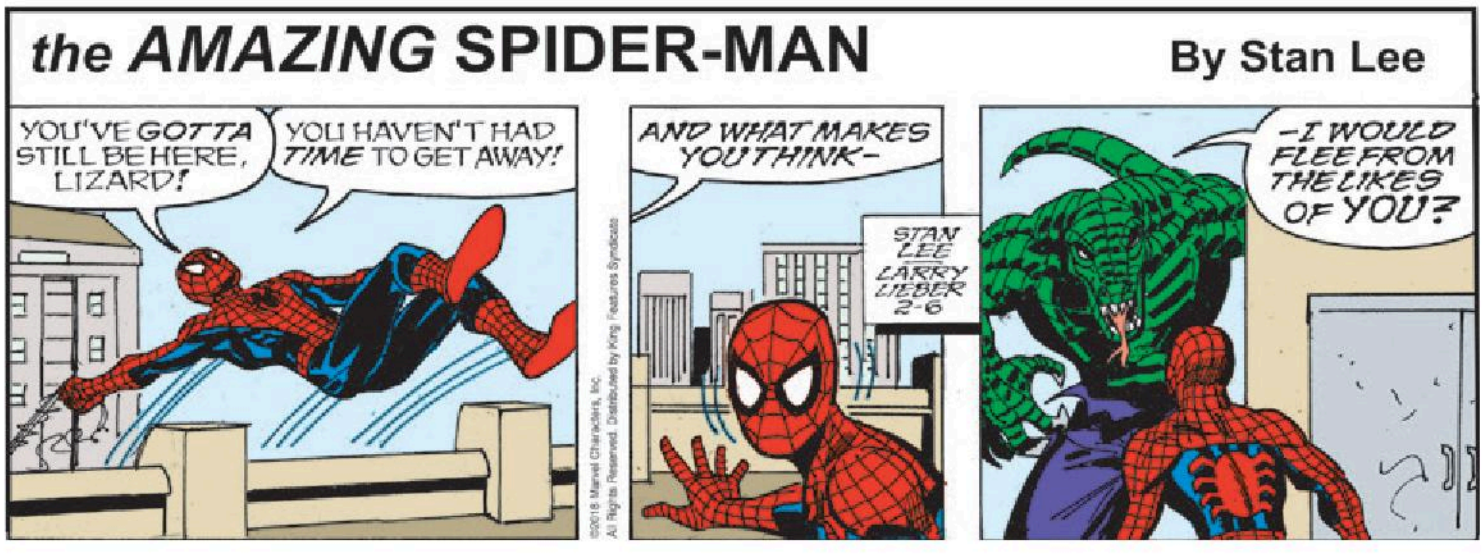
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NEWS BRIEFS

No power tomorrow

Owing to emergency maintenance works, power supply will be disrupted tomorrow between 10 and 5 pm in the following areas: Belawadi village, Basavanapura, Vijayanagar, SVEI School and surrounding areas, according to a press release from CESC.

Liver care camp from tomorrow

JSS Ayurveda Hospital, Lalithadripura Road, Alanahalli has organised a Liver Care Camp from July 4 to 11 between 9 am and 4 pm at its premises. For details, contact, Dr. Deepa C. Patil on Mob: 98864-85005 or Ph: 0821-2548231/2548433.

Free yoga classes

Sri Patanjali Yoga Shikshana Samithi, will be conducting free Yoga, Pranayama and Dhyana classes at its new branch at Yadavagiri Mahila Samaja on the 8th Main behind Akashavani in Yadavagiri from this month. Classes will be conducted between 6 am and 7 pm. For details, contact Mob: 90353-35749 or 80505-74641.

Lalitha Sahasranama Chanting

Those interested to have free chanting of Sri Lalitha Sahasranama in their houses on Ashadha Friday for prosperity, may contact Yogashri Prof. K. Keshavamurthy on Mob: 98459-35080 before July 10, according to a press release.

Installation of Rotary Mysore

The installation ceremony of the incoming officers of Rotary Mysore will be held on Thursday (July 5) at The Windflower Resorts & Spa, at 6.30 pm.

KRS Water Level

(Maximum : 124.80 feet)

Today	108.76 ft
Yesterday	108.55 ft
Inflow	6,039 cusecs
Outflow	3,537 cusecs
Last year on this date	74.15 ft

Kabini Level

(Maximum : 2,284.00 feet)

Today	2,282.32 ft
Inflow	5,000 cusecs
Outflow	5,000 cusecs

Harangi Level

(Maximum : 2,859.00 feet)

Today	2,849.58 ft
Inflow	1,973 cusecs
Outflow	30 cusecs

Kannada lecturers protest marginalisation of language

Kannada lecturers and Writers under the banner of Kannada Degree Teachers' Association staging protest in front of Crawford Hall here yesterday.

Mysuru, July 3 - Condemning the relegation of Kannada to 'Modern Indian Languages' category under the new Choice Based Credit System (CBCS) adopted by the University of Mysuru (UoM), Kannada lecturers under the banner of Kannada Degree Teachers' Association, staged a demonstration in front of Crawford Hall here yesterday.

Alleging that injustice has been meted out to Kannada language, the protestors questioned the rationale adopted by the University Grants Commission (UGC) for classifying Kannada as a modern language, while Tamil and Telugu had been grouped under 'Classical Indian Languages.'

Urging the UoM to plead Kannada's case with the UGC, the teachers said "We want the UoM to take up the issue with the UGC and ensure that the language is given its due."

Highlighting that the marginalisation of Kannada posed threat to the academic activities around the language, the teachers argued that the University's apathy will stall Research on Kannada.

Noting that under CBCS, students will have to study Kannada only for two semesters and it has become an elective, while it was mandatory for degree students to study Kannada for four semesters earlier, the teachers demanded that the University take strict measures for the implementation of compulsory Kannada courses in degree colleges. The protestors withdrew the demonstration after acting Vice-Chancellor Prof. Umesh assured to look into their demands seriously.

Association Convenor M. Ramakrishna, Writers Dr. C.P. Krishnakumar, Dr. Malali Vasanth Kumar, Prof. M. Krishngowda, Prof. G.H. Nayak, Prof. H.S. Ramachandra Gowda, C.S. Sarvamangala, P. Mallesh, Bannur K. Raju and others took part.

Lead Bank Manager Shivalingaiah retires

K.N. Shivalingaiah

Mysuru, July 3- Venkatachalapathy has been appointed as the new Lead Bank Manager of Mysuru district, following the retirement of K.N. Shivalingaiah on superannuation on June 30. Shivalingaiah had served for five years as the Chief Manager of Lead Bank for Mysuru district.

The administrative office of SBI-Lead Bank is located on Sahukar Channaiah Road, T.K. Layout, Kuvempunagar. Venkatachalapathy can be contacted on Mob: 96639-44066.

Daily wagers demand abolition of contract system

Daily wage workers under the banner of the Karnataka State Daily Wagers Federation, staging protest in front of the Town Hall in city yesterday.

Mysuru, July 3 (PM&DM)- Demanding abolition of contract system, daily wage workers under the banner of the Karnataka State Daily Wagers Federation, staged a demonstration in front of the Town Hall here yesterday.

Urging for the implementation of the Supreme Court directive which regularises labourers who have worked for at least 240 days in a calendar year be implemented, the workers sought wages and facilities as recommended by the Sixth Pay Commission.

Pointing out that the contract system is detrimental to the interests of workers, they demanded equal pay for equal work, extend New Pension Scheme (NPS) to daily wagers, appointment of daily wagers to vacant posts in Government and mandated benefits for daily wagers, among others.

The workers took out a march from the Town Hall and marched through Gandhi Square, Dufferin Clock Tower, D. Devaraj Urs Road, JLB Road and Hunsur Road to reach the Regional Commissioners (RC) Office, where they presented a memorandum to Regional Commissioner P. Hemalatha.

Federation President Dr. K.S. Sharma, office-bearers K.G. Prakash, M. Shivanna, N. Gangadhar, S.M. Jayashekar and others were present.

Villagers upset with
unnecessary toilets in school

Toilets being built unnecessarily in the school premises in Hadinaru village in Nanjangud Taluk.

Mysuru, July 3 (SBD&NNN)- At a time when the governments at the Centre and the State are going all out to make the nation open defecation-free by building toilets, comes the news that toilets are being unnecessarily built in the school premises, in spite of the school being shifted.

In a complaint to the Zilla Panchayat Executive Officer P. Shivashankar, the residents of Hadinaru Village in Nanjangud Taluk have said that two toilets are being built in the school premises, which is totally unnecessary, thus wasting public money.

Since the Government School building near the water tank in Hadinaur village is in a dilapidated condition, it has been shifted to the new building outside the village. Right now, one room is being used as Village Accountant's office and another for running the PUC classes started from this year. In spite of this, two toilets are being built at a cost of Rs.90,000. Hence action should be taken against those who are responsible for this, urged the villagers.

The toilets should be built if there is a necessity. However, there are only ten students in PUC and besides the toilets already built are in good condition. Also, there is no demand from the school authorities. Even then the money is being wasted taking up the work. In spite of the opposition from the villagers the work is going on, they alleged.

The fact is that if the school needs anything the old students association is ready to help. The IT companies through their CSR (Corporate Social Responsibility) funds are also coming to the aid of the school. Therefore, what is the need for the administration to spend the Gram Panchayat funds? The same money can be used to build public toilets in the village or it could be used for some other better purpose, urged villagers Manu, Nataraju, Mahadevappa, Mahesh, Nagaraj and Sadashiv.

Mahabaleshwar Bhat,
senior littérateur, passes away

Mahabaleshwar

Madikeri, July 3- Veteran littérateur N. Mahabaleshwar Bhat (91) passed away here on Sunday night. He leaves behind three sons, a daughter and a host of relatives and friends. A resident of Biligeri near Madikeri, Bhat had retired from service after serving as the Principal of Madikeri Government PU college.

His last rites were performed at Biligeri on Monday.

After retirement, he had identified himself with various associations. He had a stint in polities too by being an active member of the Congress party and had served the party as the District Vice-President.

He is credited with writing the felicitation volume of renowned Kodagu writer Bharatisuta and had edited a book on writer Panje Mangesh Rao.

He had chaired Madikeri Taluk Kannada Sahitya Sammelana held at Moornad and also Kodagu District Kannada Sahitya Sammelana held at Chembu.

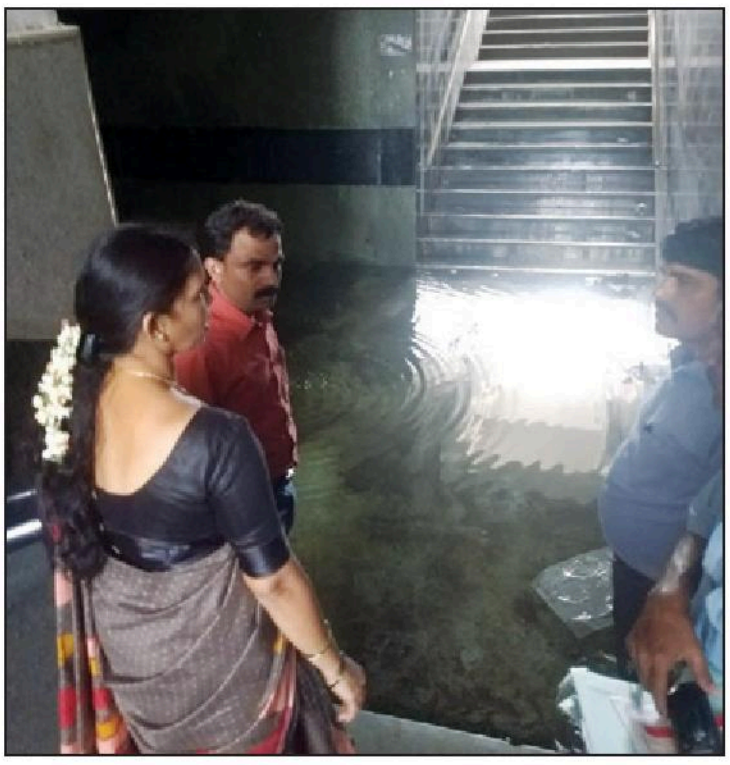
Hafta: Youth held for
assaulting tea shop owner

Mysuru, July 3 (SBD&KS)- Udayagiri Police have arrested a youth on charges of assaulting a tea shop owner for refusing to give *hafta* (extortion money). The youth, who was arrested yesterday, has been identified as 22-year-old Mohammed Azar, a resident of Kalyangiri in city.

Azar, on June 29, went to a tea shop on Rajkumar Road and demanded *hafta* from Uttam Singh, the owner of the tea shop. When Uttam Singh refused by saying "Why should I give money to you?" Azar said "Do you know who I am? You have come from somewhere and running a tea shop in my area. If you don't give me money you will not live" and abused Uttam Singh using foul language and then allegedly caught hold of Uttam Singh by his collar and hit him (Uttam Singh) on his nose, chest and stomach. He then demanded the tea shop owner to give him money whenever he came besides threatening to kill him if he failed.

Uttam Singh then rushed to Udayagiri Police Station and lodged a complaint. Based on the complaint, Udayagiri Police, who registered a case, launched a hunt to nab Azar, who was absconding and arrested him yesterday. Azar has been remanded to judicial custody.

Subway on Sayyaji Rao Road to open for public soon



Mysuru, July 3 (RK&NNN)- The unscientifically designed and rarely used Subway on Sayyaji Rao Road, opposite Bata showroom will soon be opened for public use, said Mysuru City Corporation (MCC) Commissioner K.H. Jagadeesha.

The MCC swung into action as soon as the news item titled '*Subway on Sayyaji Rao Road in dangerous condition*' was published in *Star of Mysore* yesterday along with photographs.

Deputy Mayor Indira Mahesh, MCC Executive Engineer Jadhav, Vani Vilas Water Works Executive Engineer Anand and Development Officer Nagaraj visited the spot yesterday evening and checked the subway. They suspected that because of the leak in the drinking water pipe the water is getting collected in the subway.

Jadhav said that they are yet to ascertain whether it is due to the rainwater flowing or due to water seepage that the problem has occurred and once it is found out, it will be repaired immediately and the subway will be thrown open to the public.

House burgled

Mysuru, July 3 (SBD&KS)- House burglars, who broke into a locked house at Roopanagar on Sunday, have decamped with valuables from the house.

The burglary took place in the house of one Kiran, who had locked his house on Sunday morning and had gone out.

The theft came to light, when Kiran, who returned in the night, saw the lock of the front door broken and on entering the house, he found gold ornament worth about Rs. 5 lakh kept in the almirah stolen. He immediately lodged a complaint with Jayapura Police, who have registered a case in this regard and are investigating.

Man dies after consuming excessive liquor

Mysuru, July 3 (SBD&KS)- A man, who had consumed excessive liquor died at the hospital the next day in city. The deceased has been identified as Mallesh, a resident of Basavanapura village in Yelwal hobli and a painter by profession.

Mallesh, who had consumed excessive liquor on Saturday night, had come home and slept. His family members who saw him writhing in pain the next day morning, admitted him to K.R. Hospital, where he breathed his last.

Yelwal Police, have registered a case in this regard.

Rider killed as KSRTC bus rams into bike

Bilikere, July 3 (KS)- A 55-year-old man was killed on the spot, when a speeding KSRTC bus rammed into the bike he was riding near Bilikere this noon.

The deceased has been identified as Krishnegowda, a resident of Rangayyanakoppal near Bilikere.

It is learnt that Krishnegowda, after filling diesel to a can at a nearby petrol bunk was proceeding on the Hunsur Road, when the KSRTC bus which did not even slow down when the bus approached a series of road humps on the road, ran over the humps in high speed and rammed into the bike from behind killing Krishnegowda on the spot.

Villagers alleged that though are a series of 15 small humps on the road, many KSRTC drivers do not slow down but go over the humps in high speed and added that yesterday evening too, a person was killed on the same road due to reckless driving by KSRTC bus drivers. They demanded installation of big scientific humps on the road.

Meanwhile, the family members of the deceased were in the process of lodging a complaint at Bilikere Police Station, when we went to the press.

When the best among us falter

Point of VIEW

T.J.S. George

Arun Jaitley and Piyush Goyal are the two most qualified — shall we say civilised — men in the Narendra Modi Cabinet. Both have distinguished educational background and are recognised as well-informed intellectuals. Their public careers have been impeccable. They fit naturally into refined social circles and are respected for that. Under the influence of politics, however, even such mature minds sometimes get carried away — and that is disturbing.

Was it necessary for Arun Jaitley, for example, to go to the extent he did in comparing Indira Gandhi with Hitler? Indians need no new messiah to convince them about the tyranny of the Emergency, about the unacceptability of the dynastic system that Indira imposed on the country, about her bid to destroy the judiciary. The people are still punishing her for the evils that she did. This is clear from the Congress becoming a mere also-ran in virtually every State, and Rahul Gandhi, despite his best efforts, being unable to free himself of the dynastic tag.

A nation so unambiguous about Indira's sins knows that she was like Hitler in some ways. But when a political oppositionist like Jaitley says that she imprisoned opponents as Hitler did, he must also accept that she did not kill minorities as Hitler did with the Jews — and as some in Jaitley's own camp are advocating now. When BJP legislator Lal Singh threatened journalists with the fate of Shujaat Bukhari who was shot dead in Kashmir, he was not compared even to Pramod Muthalik, let alone Hitler.

It all boils down to intolerance of dissent. How Arun Jaitley, a campaigner for the right to dissent during his ABVP days, went to the other extreme as Minister is a topic historians must dissect. The change was evident when he became the principal strategist in the 2002 and 2007 Gujarat elections. It was Jaitley who stopped Vajpayee from exercising Raj Dharma in Gujarat following the 2002 riots. Jaitley was the first to propose Modi as BJP's Prime Ministerial candidate in 2014. In the circumstances, Jaitley will probably be thinking that he has a special responsibility to defend the style and substance of the Government in which he is second only to the Prime Minister.

Given the heights he occupies, Arun Jaitley dislikes criticism. When BJP's elder Statesman Yashwant Sinha criticised the Government, Jaitley called him a "job applicant at 80." When his policies allowed no scope for peer review, specialist advisers such as Arvind Panagariya and Aravind Subramanyam quit. Even the Reserve Bank of India had to re-define autonomy to fit into the Finance Minister's definition of it.

Irony peaked when Jaitley attacked Indira Gandhi's suppression of dissent and said: "If you curb free speech and allow only propaganda, you become the first victim of propaganda." How true even today! An institutionalised fear complex has curbed free speech and promoted propaganda under the current dispensation of which Arun Jaitley is a principal architect.

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Piyush Goyal is a pillar of the same dispensation. To understand the enchanting human side of this accomplished gentleman, you only have to see/hear his keynote address at an event in his beloved alma mater, the Don Bosco School in Matunga, Bombay, in 2014. Recalling the discipline he learned and the values he developed under the stern but loving supervision of the Fathers in Don Bosco, Goyal went into sobs and tears as he said that "the heart and soul" he developed in school "will always be in my DNA." He even recited the Lord's Prayer. Such a cultivated liberal not only ended up in a camp where being liberal is equivalent to being anti-national, but also developed an ability to be ungraceful.

Referring to a coach factory project lying dormant in Kerala for 12 years, Goyal's Ministry clarified that the plan was virtually abandoned as existing coach factories were enough to meet the requirements of the Railways. The Minister could have left it at that. But he added brashly that "Railway tracks cannot be built on air." This, after the State government had acquired 439 acres of land six years ago. The comment was out of character. We must infer that both Arun Jaitley and Piyush Goyal have become victims of power and of the consequent assumption that the government of which they are a part is the best thing that has ever happened, or can happen, to India. That conviction makes them feel contemptuous of those who think differently. Why does that remind us of Sadhvi Niranjan Jyoti and Sakshi Maharaj?

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SMELLY WORDS!

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Can you find all the words to do about RUBBISH in the puzzle? You must look up, down, left, right and diagonally to find them.

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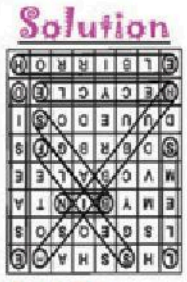

Poppy's PAWS FOR A JOKE!

WHERE DID THE KING KEEP HIS ARMIES?

UP HIS SLEEVIES!

A HORSE WALKED INTO THE BAR AND THE BARMAN SAID: "WHY THE LONG FACE!"

CAN YOU TRACK DOWN THE ERRORS?

Can you find the two changes to the bottom drawing?

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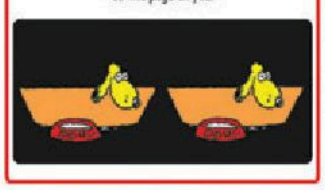

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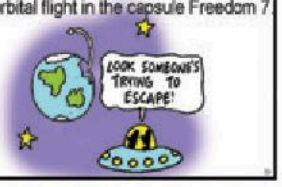

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7 Ragi Muddes in 15 Minutes flat!

Meese Eregowda of Srirangapatna proves that he has the biggest appetite

Meese Eregowda** (extreme left), **who emerged victorious after he gulped down seven ragi balls at the Mudde-Naati Koli Saaru eating competition held at Mangala village near Mandya on Sunday, is seen along with other winners Suresh and Ramamurthy. Picture below shows Jayamma, the lone woman contender.

Mandya, July 3 (Nagaiah& BCT)- It was a question of who had the biggest appetite during the '*Ragi Mudde - Naati Koli saaru*' (ragi balls - country chicken curry) eating competition at Mangala village near Mandya on Sunday. Ultimately, fifty-four-year-old Meese Eregowda emerged victorious after he gulped down seven ragi balls (three-and-a-half kg in total) in 15 minutes flat.

The District-level contest was organised on Sunday (July 1) at Sri Maramma Temple, Mangala village, by Janata Talkies, Namma Haiklu Team, Neladani Balaga and Swamy Veeranjaneya Seva Samithi.

Eregowda from Arakere village of Srirangapatna won a trophy along with Rs. 5,000 prize money at the competition and he has won this competition for ninth time. He is a mudde-eating veteran and participates in such competitions.

While Eregowda was declared winner, Suresh, who ate 2.75 kg (5.75 balls) was declared runner up and got Rs. 3,000. Ramamurthy ate 2.5 kg and got Rs. 2,000 as prize. Nandish, Karasawadi Shankaregowda, H.D. Yogesh, Nagesh each ate five ragi balls (but went beyond the time limit of 15 minutes) and got Rs. 1,000 each.

Sixty-five people participated in this competition where the lone woman competitor Jayamma of Siddakalehalla ate two ragi balls.

The performance of Eregowda stunned other participants as he rolled dollops of *Mudde* in his hands, dipped them into the *Koli saaru* and gulped them down one after the other.

Contenders from Bengaluru rural, Mandya, Mysuru, Chamarajanagar, T. Narasipura, H.D. Kote, Tarikere, Hassan, Ramanagaram and Channapattana took part in the event. Women in large numbers went up to the terrace of buildings around the

venue to watch the competition.

The competition was organised to encourage rural sports and the Neladani Balaga had organised such competitions at Hobli-level in the past.

As part of the competition, a few scenes of a Kannada movie '*Aane Bala*' that is being produced by Janata Talkies was shot at the venue. Select participants will also get a chance to act in the movie.

Hundreds of villagers from surrounding areas had come to view this unique competition. They were, however, disappointed as organisers served just 'rice bath' to them while *Ragi Mudde* and country chicken curry was given only to the participants.

'Release 31.24 tmcft water to TN in July' Cauvery Authority tells Karnataka

New Delhi, July 3- The newly-formed Cauvery Water Management Authority (CWMA) has ordered Karnataka to release 31.24 tmcft (Thousand Million Cubic Feet) Cauvery water to Tamil Nadu in July.

The first meeting of the CWMA was held in New Delhi yesterday with representatives from Kerala, Karnataka, Tamil Nadu and Puducherry. The meeting was held even as Karnataka decided to appeal in the Supreme Court against the formation of Cauvery Water Management Authority.

Rakesh Singh, the representative for Karnataka, told the meeting that the State would take a call on releasing water only after taking into account the reservoir levels, available inflow and the data from Central Water Commission. He came out of the meeting without making any commitment on the release of 31.24 tmcft water.

Speaking to reporters after the four-hour long meeting, the interim Chairman of the CWMA, S. Masood Hussain said the meeting discussed various factors involved in the release of Cauvery water being discussed.

"The authority directed Karnataka to ensure balance quantity (of water) for July, delinquently adjusting the excess quantity of water realised by Tamil Nadu in June, subject to the assessment and recommendations by the regulation committee," he said.

"The quantum of water which had been there in the Tribunal award after adjusting whatever had been the surplus in the month of June that would be released by Karnataka" Hussain told reporters.

"We discussed about the CWMA's structure and office, factors related to the water inflow and outflow and we decided to preserve all the details required to release water from Cauvery," he said.

The Cauvery Water Regulation Committee will meet in New Delhi on July 5.

The Authority also considered requesting the Central Water Commission to submit proposal for setting up communication network to assess hydrological conditions, Hussain said.

State to take stock of situation after budget: Shivakumar

Bengaluru, July 3 - Reacting strongly to Cauvery Water Management Authority's direction to Karnataka to release June month's quota of 31.24 tmcft of water to Tamil Nadu, Water Resources Minister D.K. Shivakumar said dams in Cauvery basin should have that much of quantity of water to release to TN. "I will seek opinions of former Prime Minister H.D. Deve Gowda and former Water Resources Minister M.B. Patil on the Authority's direction," he said.

Talking to reporters, Shivakumar alleged that Tamil Nadu had put forth a demand more than its requirement before the authority. The State government was not going to take any decision in haste, he said, adding, a meeting of elected representatives and farmers' leaders from Cauvery basin will be convened on July 6 or 10 to discuss the future course of action.

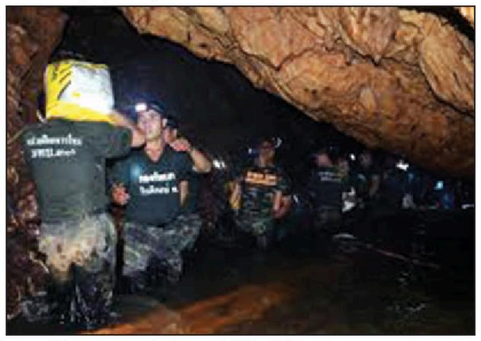
Shivakumar

Karnataka Budget is on July 5 and the government will invite political representatives and farmer leaders from the Cauvery basin area for a meeting to discuss the fallout, between July 6 and July 10, he said.

"The Cauvery Water Regulation Committee (CWRC) is also meeting on July 5 where we will present our case. All developments will be assessed." He, however, said he would offer his comments on the Authority's decision after holding discussions with the State's representative in the Authority, Rakesh Singh.

12 boys, football coach found alive after nine days in Thailand cave

Need to wait for months for floods to recede; hungry boys demand food



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Two British rescuer divers who had flown over to join the search operation found the boys on Monday night.

The video of that first contact was posted on Facebook by Thai Navy SEAL special forces.

The boys were seen by torchlight sitting on a ledge above water, responding to the divers that all 13 were there and that they were very hungry.

They ask how long they have been underground and whether they can leave now. The divers tell them they have to wait, but say people will come back for them. One boy replies: "Oh. See you tomorrow."

The search for the group had gripped the nation as it was unclear where they were or whether they even were still alive.

Families of the missing group were ecstatic at news of the rescue.

The boys, aged between 11 and 16, and their 25-year-old coach went missing on June 23. It's believed they entered the cave when it was dry and sudden heavy rains blocked the exit.

They were found on a rock shelf around 4km (2.5 miles) from the mouth of the cave.

It is thought the boys could move through parts of the cave in dry conditions but rushing waters clogged the narrow passages with mud and debris, blocking visibility and access.

One of the toughest stretches for the divers came as they neared so-called Pattaya Beach - an elevated mound in the cave complex - where it was hoped the boys had sought refuge.

Divers had to navigate a series of sharp, narrow bends in near-darkness. They completed the difficult journey to find Pattaya Beach flooded, so swam on and found the boys about 400m away.

Hinkal flyover to open before Dasara: MP

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The works began on April 27, 2016 and the total length of the grade separator, including the ramp on both sides, is 510 metres. The width of the flyover is 17.20 metres. The grade separator begins from Hinkal Tent till Grand Maurya Hotel.

The project came under the Jawaharlal Nehru National Urban Renewal Mission (JnNURM). However, with cost escalation and delay in construction (which was to be completed by 2017 December) the cost went up by nearly Rs. 5 crore and it is now pegged at Rs. 19.80 crore. George from Bangalore-based PJB Engineers that is implementing the project assured the MP that the work will be completed by October.

Originally, a four-grade separator project at a total cost of Rs. 66.62 crore was envisaged. The grade separators were planned at Outer Ring Road (ORR) junction on Bengaluru-Mysuru Road near Columbia Asia Hospital; at Mysuru-KRS Road ORR junction near Hotel Royal Inn; at Mysuru-Hunsur Road ORR junction in Hinkal and at Mysuru-Nanjangud Road JSS College Junction near Yelethota.

However, out of the four grade separators, only the Hunsur Road grade separator will be a reality now. The flyover that was proposed at KRS Road Junction faced a technical snag as the road descends too close to the Mysuru-Hassan Railway track and hence has to be realigned or dropped.

The grade separator that was planned on Bengaluru-Mysuru Highway near Columbia Asia Hospital was also dropped as the State Government has planned to widen the existing 6-lane road. Likewise, the grade separator on Mysuru-Nanjangud Road was dropped as there is a dispute over the land that belonged to the erstwhile Maharajas.

MUDA Superintending Engineer B.K. Suresh Babu and others were present at the spot

12 pilgrims from city safe

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Speaking to *Star of Mysore* this morning, Sagar Sudheer, son of Sudhir Prabhakar said that his parents and other seven pilgrims reached the Tribhuvan International Airport and have already boarded a plane to New Delhi. They are likely to reach Bengaluru tomorrow, he said.

Meanwhile, Mysuru district authorities have sought information about pilgrims who would have left for the yatra. DC Abhiram G. Sankar and Tahsildar T. Ramesh Babu have sounded all Panchayat Development Officers and Taluk Level officers to collect information about any other pilgrims who have gone on the yatra.

The State Emergency Operation Centre officers said that all out efforts were made to provide necessary help to the stranded pilgrims from Karnataka.

The Karnataka Government has placed its representatives in Nepalganj and Simikot to have personal touch with stranded pilgrims.

EMERGENCY HOTLINE NUMBERS

An exclusive hotline has been set up for pilgrims and their family members. This would also comprise language speaking staff stranded passengers or their relatives can contact:

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Ex-MLC Madhusudan taunts Prof. Rangappa for running away from open debate

G. Madhusudan *Prof. Rangappa*

Mysuru, July 3 (RKB&DM)- Accusing former University of Mysore (UoM) and KSOU Vice-Chancellor Prof. K.S. Rangappa of running away from the open debate *(Sawaal-Jawab)* organised by MDJA at Pathrakarthara Bhavan, former MLC G. Madhusudan has demanded a CBI probe into all the scams and irregularities that had allegedly taken place during Prof. Rangappa's regime.

Addressing press persons at Pathrakarthara Bhavan this morning, Madhusudan said the MDJA had fixed the open debate at 10 am today. But Prof. Rangappa did not turn up even at 10.30 am. [Following legal advise, the MDJA last evening cancelled the debate on the grounds that the matter was in Court].

Taunting Prof. Rangappa of being a coward as he was afraid to face some very uncomfortable questions on the alleged scams in UoM and KSOU, the ex-MLC said he had sent a 13-page questionnaire to Prof. Rangappa via MDJA, for which he (Rangappa) had to come up with answers at the debate. But going through the questionnaire, Prof. Rangappa must have got so scared that he chose to skip the debate. Stating that Prof. Rangappa would have turned up for the debate had he been honest, Madhusudan urged the former VC to hold the debate under the aegis of his (Rangappa) fans association and he would certainly accept the challenge.

He said he had posted the 13-page questionnaire sent on his website: *www.gomadhusudana.in* to enable the public to go through it. He also called Prof. Rangappa as 'Prof. WRONGAPPA' as he had done many wrongs in his tenure as VC.

Dronacharya Award to Dr. C.N. Manjunath

***Sri Jayadeva Institute of Cardiovascular Sciences and Research Director Dr. C. N. Manjunath** (second from left) being conferred Dronacharya Award at the 10th Asia Pacific Vascular Conference in New Delhi on June 30. The award was conferred on him in recognition of training and teaching the most number of cardiac experts in the country.*

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Mysuru, a City of Missed Opportunities

[Continued from yesterday]

Report of Mysore- Nanjangud Master Plan: 2031

Mysore-Nanjangud Master Plan -2031 [MNMP] had a long gestation period and got the government approval only in 2016. However, being a land use plan, it did not deal with transportation or traffic in detail on its own.

As per MNMP Planning, the Central Business District (CBD) is prominently a residential area where 24 per cent of the land is being occupied by residential units. Public and semi-public activities category accounts for 25 per cent and traffic and transport accounts for 24 per cent of the land in the CBD. As against these, commercial activities accounted for only about 18 per cent of the land in CBD.

MNMP has categorised CBD as a Heritage Zone and also a Commercial District. Having done so, it could have made some serious recommendations on FAR and zoning regulations to decongest the city. Unfortunately, some of its final recommendations on such crucial issues could have exactly opposite effect!

While suggesting road widening and the location of multi-level parking facilities, MNMP was simply reproducing some of the suggestions of Comprehensive Traffic and Transportation Plan (CTTP). With free roadside parking, ever-increasing vehicles on the roads and limited benefit of road widening, MNMP should have gone beyond lip service. It should have addressed the root cause for such vehicular traffic within CBD and proposed measures to overcome them. But it did not do so. Its recommendation for demolition of hundred-plus year old heritage Devaraja Market and for building a new multi-storied structure reflected lack of sensitivity for CBD's Heritage. There was hardly any suggestion or measures to de-congest vehicular traffic.

Report on Deployment of ITS

Introduction of Intelligent Transport System [ITS] for KSRTC city bus services was a Pilot Project which heralded, among other things, the introduction of Information Management Techniques for time schedules for Volvo city services.

Passengers were to get world-class bus services both in terms of comfort and in assurance of time schedules. The control consoles at the City Bus Station were to resemble Airport Traffic Control system.

M&E Consultants carried out modal and temporal studies for the performance of ITS between 2012 and 2015. They conducted surveys of passengers, analysed secondary data for different parameters and periods, mathematical models were worked out and based on them provided recommendations to improve and maintain the ITS-based city bus services.

Despite the report recommending several measures, the ITS system is still in the process of getting stabilised and moreover, there was no public outreach programme for ITS. **By 2017, ITS-based bus services were in shatters. Replacement of old and dilapidated buses was hugely delayed and the KSRTC did not introduce additional new buses due to various reasons.** Volvo buses were in bad shape and core personnel involved in the implementation and management of ITS left the job. Consequently, passengers were back to confronting million faults with the bus services.

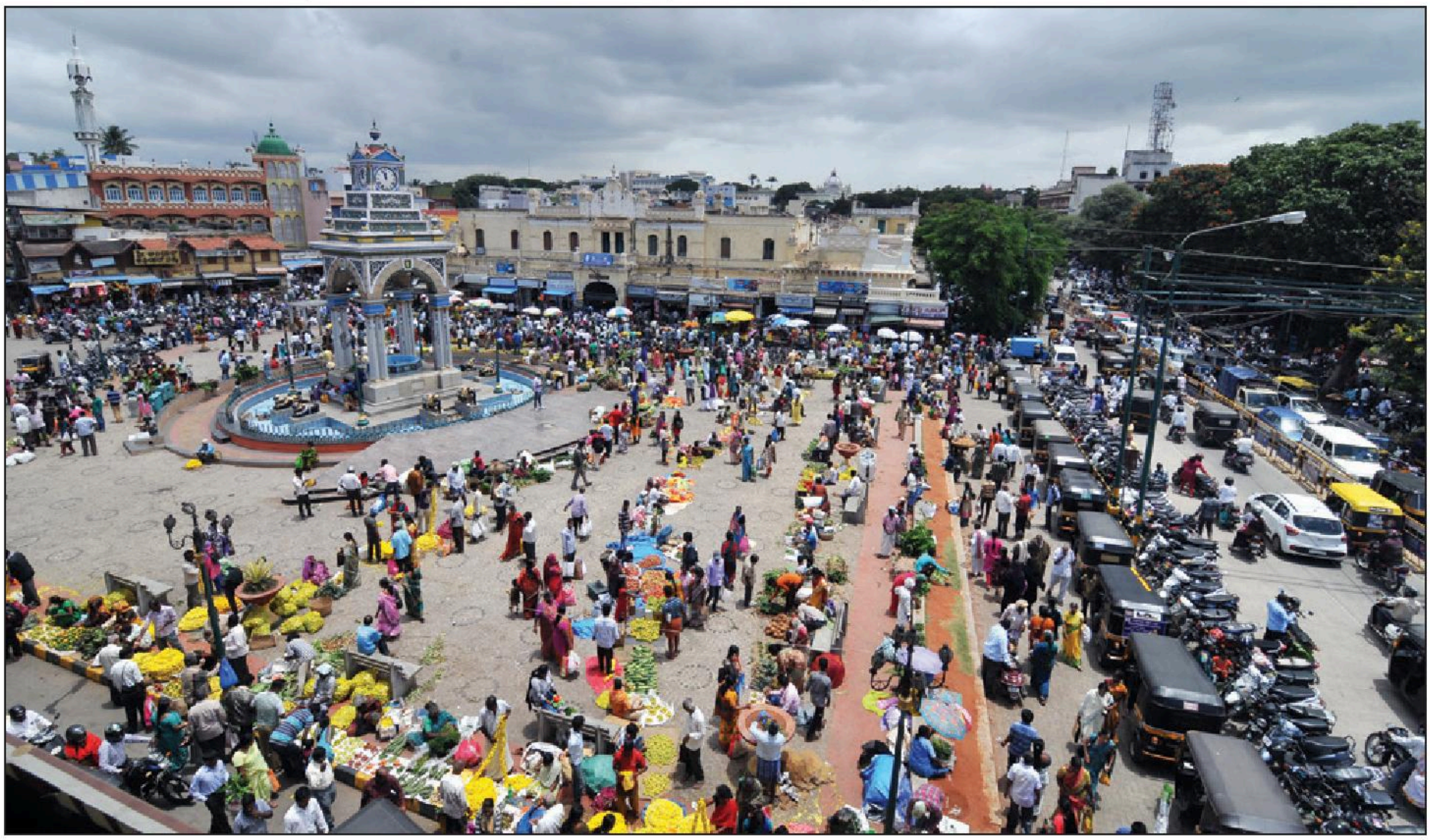
At an MGP's monthly meeting, KSRTC officials have confessed that city bus service in Mysuru is incurring Rs.5 crore loss every month and most of its passengers are elderly citizens. The youth of the city prefer two-wheelers to city buses. There is no surprise then as 81 per cent of vehicles registered in the city are two-wheelers. Have not the authorities ignored the transformation that took place in the ownership of private vehicles during 2007-2017?

If only the KSRTC had taken necessary steps to implement the recommendations of report on ITS and provided the city with the best bus service coming out of this pilot project, the city could have saved itself from vehicular congestion in the CBD in particular and the city in general.

In conclusion, we can say that between 2007 and 2017 when private vehicle registration was going haywire, no attempts were made by KSRTC to counter that trend. Thus, an opportunity to prevent vehicular congestion in the city and avoid losses to KSRTC was lost. Unfortunately, ITS Report was allowed to degenerate and the city is deprived of whatever good public transport this Pilot Project had provided to the passengers.

Non-implementation of CTTP Report has deprived the city of great opportunity to decongest. Also, Master Plan 2031 missed an important opportunity to decongest the CBD. Restrictions on multi-storeyed business complexes within the CBD area would have gone a long way in retaining heritage and encouraging tourism.

Construction of new City Bus Station and the Sub-Urban Bus Station in the existing locations within CBD was not only waste of scarce funds but has worsened the traffic congestion within CBD. Mysuru has been a city of missed opportunities. Today it remains a city with a decaying city centre, which also happens to be a Heritage Zone and Central Business District.



FIFA World Cup 2018

Neymar shines in Brazil's win over Mexico

Samara, Russia, July 3- Brazil reached the World Cup quarterfinals after Neymar scored and assisted in a 2-0 win over a Mexico side that saw their "fifth game" curse continue.

Neymar opened the scoring for Brazil with a close-range tap-in on 50 minutes and Roberto Firmino made the game safe two minutes from time.

It was another painful exit for Mexico, who have failed to play a fifth game at the World Cup since hosting in 1986. After being disqualified from qualifying in 1990, Mexico have suffered seven successive defeats in the round of 16 stage since 1994.

Brazil will now face the winners of Belgium and Japan in the quarterfinals, though Casemiro will be suspended after picking up a yellow card in the second half.

The five-time winners also surpassed Germany's World Cup record of 226 World Cup goals, moving on to 228 after Neymar and Firmino's strikes.

Mexico, unfazed by their poor record in the last-16, began brightly and Brazil's full-backs Fagner and Filipe Luis struggled with their pace in attack. Hirving Lozano went close inside the opening two minutes as his shot was blocked after Alisson failed to deal with a cross from the left.

Focused and fearless, Mexico continued to trouble Brazil in the opening stages, with Fagner in particular struggling massively to cope with the threat down his side. Second best for 24 minutes, Brazil and Neymar finally stirred into life in attack with the Paris Saint-Germain forward forcing Guillermo Ochoa into a decent stop before Gabriel Jesus' shot was blocked.

Jesus then had another opportunity as a nervous Mexico defence failed to clear, but the Manchester City striker found Ochoa equal to his shot.

Neymar celebrates with team-mate Paulinho after scoring first goal.

The goalkeeper could do nothing about Brazil's opener five minutes after the restart as Willian's left-footed cross found Neymar, who was cutting into the six-yard box and made no mistake from close range.

Paulinho almost doubled the lead before the hour, but his shot inside the box was kept out by the excellent Ochoa, who then had to tip Willian's fizzing drive over the bar.

Belgium score narrow 3-2 win over Japan

Nacer Chadli scored deep into second-half stoppage time to complete Belgium's 3-2 comeback win against Japan in the World Cup round of 16 on Monday. The win puts Belgium into the quarterfinals, setting up a mouth-watering clash with Brazil in the last-eight.

Having rested most of their best players for the 1-0 win over England in their final group game on Thursday, Belgium's first-choice team — including Vincent Kompany back from injury in the centre of defence — sent too many passes astray in the opening 45 minutes.

Romelu Lukaku failed to react in time when Kompany flicked the ball towards him on the half-hour as Belgium struggled to get on track. And despite dominating possession, Belgium failed to create many other quality chances while Japan looked dangerous throughout the first half on the counter-attack.

Belgium goalkeeper Thibaut Courtois nearly bobbled the ball into his own net just before half-time after a tame shot trickled right to him, but he managed to smother it before any Japanese players could react.

Japan came out of dressing room on fire and were 2-0 up inside of first 10 minutes after the restart when Genki Haraguchi scored Japan's first from a Gaku Shibasaki through ball that was mis-played by Jan Vertonghen.

Eden Hazard then clattered a well-hit shot from a Dries Mertens cross off the post at the other end. Minutes later a Kompany clearance fell to Shinji Kagawa, who laid off for Takashi Inui to fire home a knuckling stunner from 20 yards away that left Courtois no chance to extend the underdogs lead.

Belgium finally found their first right before the 70-minute mark when Vertonghen headed a poor clearance from Japanese defence that looped over goalkeeper Eiji Kawashima and found the back of the net.

Roberto Martinez's team sprang to life after their first and were level soon after as substitute Marouane Fellaini rose to meet a Hazard cross and nodded it home to make it 2-2. Kawashima then kept out two quality Belgium chances on 85 minutes, punching away a Chadli header before palming Lukaku's follow-up effort over the bar. Courtois made an amazing save from a long-distance Keisuke Honda free kick and then gobbled up another attempt and fed Kevin De Bruyne who led the counter-attack that teed up Chadli's winner.

Belgium, who tied their 1986 record for most goals at a World Cup with 12, are the first team to come back from a two-goal deficit at any point in the match and win in regulation time of a knock-out stage match since Portugal in 1966 against North Korea.

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TOMORROW'S MATCHES

Uruguay Vs France	07:30 pm
Brazil Vs Belgium	11:30 pm

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

Brazil beat Mexico	2-0
Belgium beat Japan	3-2

KSCA Mysore Zonal League

Facile win for Vijaya CC

Mysuru, July 3- Vijaya CC registered a facile 31-run win over Garner CC in the KSCA Mysore zone IV Division league tie played at the Gangothri grounds here recently.

SCORES

IV division: Vijaya CC 202 in 41 overs (Sharuk 25, Gautham 23, Waseem 22, Yogesh 22, G.Sunil three for 52, R.Girish three for 33, Naresh M Kumar three for 28) bt Garner CC 171 in 43.1 overs (B.A. Shamay Gowda 45, A.K.Dhanush 24, G.Sunil 23, R. Girish 22, Ganesh four for 30).

Preetham shines

Mysuru, July 3- A century by P.Preetham (104, 13x4s), combined with useful contributions from D.J.Manav (68) and M.Kanishk (56), helped Vidyaranya CC to register a big 249-run win over Kollegal CC in the KSCA Mysore zone U-16 league for clubs, played at the Gangothri grounds here recently.

SCORES

Vidyaranya CC 358 for four in 50 overs (P.Preetham 104, D.J.Manav 68, M.Kanishk 56, M.Sathwik 46, K.Akhil 43 n.o.) bt Kollegal CC 109 in 26.4 overs (K.K.Abdul 30, Karthik 20, Nishanth two for 26, S.Nihal two for 18, M.Bharghav two for five).

Karavali Cricketers 220 in 49.3 overs (M.R.Jayanth 58, Ashish G. Bharadwaj 36, S.Ravicharan 46, Goverdhan Reddy 29, Udhay Krishna three for 17, D.N.Dhanush two for 38, Rathan two for six) bt New National CC 155 in 35 overs (Udhay Krishna 43, K.Prajwal 26, Balaji 25, M.R.Jayanth five for 37, Tejasvi two for 36).

Commonwealth Chess 2018

Mandya's Shefali scores over Anjistha Basak

Delhi July 3- Mandya's chess player WCM A.N. Shefali representing India and taking part in the Commonwealth chess championship in the girls U-10 category won his sixth round tie against Anjistha Basak of West Bengal and is currently placed third in the ranking with 5 points from six rounds on Monday.

A.N.Shefali

In the previous rounds, Shefali had wins over Akshitha Mital (Har),

Dutt Prapti (Guj), Prakash Vaishnavi (UP) and Dakare Rucha (Mah), Anupam M Sreekumar (Ker) with 5.5 points is in the lead after six rounds and is followed by Rout Yashitha (Odi) with 5 points in the second place.

Mysuru's Sharadhi Shastry (3.5 points-25th), Mandya's D. Jaanvi (3 points-27th), G.Spoorvika (2.5 points-41st) and Mysuru's Yashika R Joshi (2 points) are also faring well in the U-10 girls section.

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Plea to clean drains in Jayanagar

One of the drains near the 19th Cross, 2nd Main on Krishnadevaraja Road in Jayanagar is blocked due to accumulation of waste in it. With recent rains, the water inside the drain has remained stagnant as it is unable to flow further. Authorities concerned are urged to take steps to get the drain cleaned at the earliest.

Tree posing danger near Adichunchanagiri hostel in Paduvarahalli

This tree near Adichunchanagiri Hostel in Paduvarahalli on Hunsur Road is posing danger to the public as it has become hollow and may fall anytime due to rain and wind. Authorities concerned are urged to take steps to prevent any fatalities which may happen in near future.

Know Your Ward

Mysuru, July 3- The Urban Development Department, based on 2011 population census, had issued a notification on Feb.8, 2018 delimiting Mysuru City Corporation (MCC) Wards. In view of MCC elections due in September, the MCC has published the Ward-wise final voter list at MCC Office. Here we publish the list of 65 Wards with Ward-wise reservation after delimitation.

[Continued from yesterday]

WARD NO. 11: Shanthinagar (Mahadevapura Road) (General)

North : From Ring Road Siddappaji Temple Junction to Mahadevapura Road Junction via Ring road.

East : From Ring Road Mahadevapura Junction to Mahadevapura Road and continue till Rajiv Nagar 1st Stage Main Road Junction.

South : From Mahadevapura Main Road's Rajiv Nagar 1st Stage Main Road Junction to Baba Medicals on the same road - Turn to South - via Shanthinagar Urdu School - through the road next to Hampi Theatre till Rajiv Nagar 2nd Stage Main Road.

West : From Rajiv Nagar 2nd Stage Main Road's Nimrah Masjid Junction via Gupta Stores - Siddappaji Temple Road - till Ring Road Junction.

WARD NO. 12: Shanthinagar (Indira Gandhi Road) (General Woman)

North : From Rajiv Nagar Main Road's Nimrah Masjid and starting from Temple's midpoint - move towards East on the same Road - turn to South to reach Mahadevapura Main Road.

East : From Mahadevapura Main Road and Rajiv Nagar Main Road Junction - move via Mahadevapura Main Road - turn towards South near Shanthinagar 8th Cross to join Indira Gandhi Road.

South : From Indira Gandhi 8th Cross Junction - turn towards West on Indira Gandhi Road to reach Tent Road.

West : From Indira Gandhi-Tent Road Junction - turn towards North to join Mahadevapura Main Road; On the same road turn to North-East direction and via A.S. Road move towards North till Urdu School then turn towards East to reach Rajiv Nagar 2nd Stage Main Road.

WARD NO. 13: Udayagiri (Backward Class B)

North : From Rajiv Nagar Link Road near Devanur Lake Burial Grounds - move towards East on Rajiv Nagar Road to reach Al Badar Masjid in Rajiv Nagar 2nd Stage.

East : From Rajiv Nagar Main Road via Al Badar Masjid Road till Mahadevapura Main Road.

South : From Mahadevapura Main Road-Al Badar Masjid Junction - turn towards West to reach Mahadevapura Road MES School Junction.

West : From Mahadevapura Road-MES School Junction's Abdul Rehman Road 14th Cross - turn to left till Jilani Road - turn right on Jilani Road till Burial Grounds near Devanur Lake on Rajiv Nagar Road.

WARD NO. 14: Satyanagar (Backward Class A Woman)

North : From Rajakaluve in Kalpavruksha Nagar 1st Cross - turn towards East till Jilani Road - from Jilani Road turn to East to reach Abdul Rehman Road 14th Cross Junction.

East : From Abdul Rehman 14th Cross Road Junction to Mahadevapura Road (Azeez Sait Road) MES School Junction.

South : From Mahadevapura Road MES School Junction - turn towards West till Gandhinagar Durgamma Temple Cross Road on Mahadevapura Road.

West : From Mahadevapura Road - via Gandhinagar Durgamma Temple Road - Bettappa Thotada Road - N.R. Mohalla - Udyagiri Link Road - till Kalpavruksha Nagar 1st Cross.

WARD NO. 15: Rajendranagar (Scheduled Caste)

North : From Naguvanahalli Road - turn to East - via Kalpavruksha Nagar 1st Cross to reach Rajakaluve.

East : From Kalpavruksha Nagar Raja Kaluve to N.R. Mohalla Udayagiri Link Road.

South : From N.R. Mohalla-Udayagiri Link Road - towards West - via 1st Cross reach St.Mary's Road - move via 5th Cross and Shivaraji Road - till N.R. Mohalla Link Road.

West : From N.R. Mohalla Link Road to Kalpavruksha Nagar 1st Main on Naguvanahalli Road.

[To be continued]

Investiture Ceremony at City Schools

GOOD SHEPHERD CONVENT ENGLISH HIGHER PRIMARY SCHOOL: Investiture Ceremony of Good Shepherd Convent English Higher Primary School was held recently. The leaders were honoured with badges and sashes by School Manager Sr. Preethi. Head Mistress Sunitha Monis, Physical Education Teacher Chanve Gowda,Teachers incharge of the respective Houses, are seen with student leaders.

MANASAROWAR PUSHKARINI VIDYASHRAMA: The newly-elected student council seen with chief guest Tiger Solanki, Founder, Tiger Adventure Foundation; President of the school Dr. A. R. Seetharam; Vice-President Sudha Shivaswamy; Secretary & Correspondent K.S. Swaroopini; Member of Management B. D. Sandesh and the House Mothers.

SRI SHARADA PUBLIC SCHOOL: The installation of young cabinet of Sri Sharada Public school was held recently at the school premises. Chief guest Rtn. Alexander Vincent, Proprietor of United Mechanical Engineering Industry, conferred the badges and flags to the newly-elected office-bearers. L.B. Akshay of Grade IX was felicitated for securing third International rank and cash prize of Rs. 10,000 in General Knowledge Olympiad Examination. R.M.Srivatsa, Secretary of Sri Sharada Public School, presided. Administrator, Principal, Staff and Students witnessed the event.

SVG Vishwaprajna Composite Residential PU College, Dattagalli: The newly-inducted Student Council team seen with the guests and the Principal.

SAVITHRI CONVENT HIGHER PRIMARY AND HIGH SCHOOL: The Investiture Ceremony was held at the School premises on Ashoka Road recently. The President of various Clubs, members of the School Cabinet along with School Chief Minister Hemanth Gowda and School Head Boy D.R. Lingesh are seen with Raju K.Bhatia, Secretary, K.P. Pushpalatha, Administrator, Shuguftha Shireen, Head Mistress of High School Section and Khateeja Tabassum, Head Mistress of Higher Primary Section.

Installation of Rotary West team this evening

Rtn. P.M. Nanaiah

Mysuru, July 3- The installation ceremony of Rotary Mysore West with Rtn. P.M. Nanaiah as President and his Team of office-bearers for the Rotary year 2018-19 will be held today (July 3) at 6.30 pm at Hotel Oasis, Hebbal, Mysuru.

Rtn. PDG Col. B.M. Chengappa will be the chief guest. Rtn. Prof. Joseph Mathew, DGE (RI Dist 3181) will be the Installing Officer. Rtn. Mallaraje Urs, Assistant Governor Zone 8, RI Dist. 3181, will be the guest of honour

MoU to promote intl. collaboration in education

Mysuru, July 3- Giles Brooker Group (GB Group), New Zealand and Mahajana Education Society (MES), Mysuru, signed a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) on June 30 to promote international collaboration in the field of Education, Academic Research, Community Development and Social Entrepreneurship.

Dr. C. K. Renukarya, Director, Mahajana PG Campus, and Prabha Govindasamy, Managing Director, Giles Brooker Group, New Zealand, signed the MoU.

Prof. H.N. Sathish, HoD (MBA & Tourism) spoke about the potential collaboration and co-operation for development and promotion of study opportunities between MES and GB Group.

Free Workshop on Meditation

Mysuru, July 3- A free workshop on "Living in Meditation" will be held on July 14 from 10 am to 1 pm at Dhvanyaloka Centre for Indian Studies, Bogadi Road, Mysuru. Topics covered will be Mindfulness meditation, self-healing, relationship management, emotional & mental well-being. Participants have to register by July 10. For details contact Swarna Gowri on Mob: 9731863041.

MYSORE SUMMER RACES 2018

(By Our Racing Correspondent)

"Oomph Vs Hammer Smith' for Fillies Trail Stakes

Mysuru, July 3 - The following are the selections for the 7th Day Mysore Summer Races to be held here tomorrow (4th July 2018):

1.	**2.30 PM THE WHITE FIELD PLATE**	
	1800 mts (rated 40 to 65)	
	1. John Cabot	*2. Anteros*
2.	**3.00 PM THE MUDIGERE PLATE DIV II**	
	1200 mts (rated 00 to 25)	
	1. Protector of Paris	*2. Flaming Spear*
3.	**3.30 PM THE BUGLE ROCK PLATE**	
	1200 mts (rated 20 to 45)	
	1.Golden Cruise	*2. King Smile*
4.	**4.00 PM THE MUDIGERE PLATE DIV I**	
	1200 mts (rated 00 to 25)	
	1. On Her Own	*2. Star Binder*
5.	**4.30 PM THE LADY DOCTORS FILLIES TRAIL STAKES**	
	1400 mts (3 years terms)	
	1. Oomph	*2. Hammer Smith*
6.	**5.00 PM THE ANEKAL PLATE**	
	1400 mts (rated 60 and above)	
	1. Roosevelt	*2.Tiger of Mysore*
7.	**5.30 PM THE SHIVAJI NAGAR PLATE**	
	1400 mts. (rated 20 to 45)	
	1. Bonito	*2. Spike*

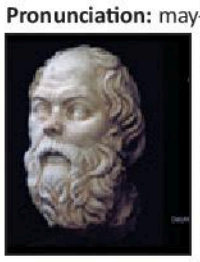
DAY'S BEST: *JOHN CABOT*
DOUBLE: *1. ROOSEVELT 2. BONITO*
JACKPOT: *3,4,5,6,7*
I TREBLE: *2,3,4;* ***II TREBLE:*** *5,6,7*
EXACTAS: *6,7*

—Tipster PGC

WORD OF THE DAY

Maieutic

Pronunciation: may-YOO-tik.



Meaning: Relating to or resembling the Socratic method of eliciting new ideas from another.

Origin: Maieutic comes from maieutikos, the Greek word for "of midwifery." In one of Plato's Dialogues, Socrates applies maieutikos to his method of bringing forth new ideas by reasoning and dialogue; he thought the technique analogous to those a midwife uses in delivering a baby (Socrates' mother was a midwife). A teacher who uses maieutic methods can be thought of as an intellectual midwife who assists students in bringing forth ideas and conceptions previously latent in their minds.

Example: "The maieutic art of Socrates consists, essentially, of asking questions designed to destroy prejudices; false beliefs which are often traditional or fashionable beliefs; false answers, given in the spirit of ignorant cocksureness." — Karl Popper, Conjectures and Refutations, 1962.

THE ODD WORD

Manticore

A legendary animal with the head of a man, the body of a lion, and the tail of a dragon or scorpion.

PHRASE OF THE DAY

Talking through one's hat

Meaning: Talk nonsense; especially on a subject that one professes to be knowledgeable about but in fact is ignorant of.

Origin: This began in the USA, in the late 19th century, with a slightly different meaning from the present one. It then meant to bluster. Farmer and Henley Slang and Its Analogues, 1888:
"Dis is only a bluff dey're makin' - see! Dey're talkin' tru dere hats"
It would be nice to be able to report that this graphic phrase alludes to some event where someone used a hat to disguise their speech, or similar. The only practice that comes close to fitting the bill is that of 'topping', in the UK Parliament. To be allowed to make 'a point of order', which is an interruption to a previous speech in order to query something that had been raised, MPs had to be 'seated and covered'. That is, seated and wearing a hat. Topping was the name given to 'talking out' a bill, otherwise known as filibustering, by continuing to speak until debating time ran out. Having made a point of order and while wearing a top hat, an MP couldn't be interrupted and could continue talking for as long as he/she wished. Naturally, as these speeches often lasted hours, they were frequently filled with rambling nonsense.

QUOTE BOX

A politician should have three hats. One for throwing into the ring, one for talking through, and one for pulling rabbits out of if elected.

— Carl Sandburg

RIDDLE THIS

What room do ghosts avoid?

Answer: The living room.

SUDOKU

	7	9				4		
				3				
			7		9		6	5
					7		2	8
	8	2				7	1	
5	4		2					
6	1		8		3			
				2				
		5				6	4	

Answer to previous puzzle

6	4	8	3	9	5	1	2	7
3	7	1	4	6	2	5	9	8
5	2	9	8	1	7	4	6	3
8	6	5	7	4	1	9	3	2
4	1	2	9	3	8	6	7	5
9	3	7	5	2	6	8	4	1
2	8	6	1	7	4	3	5	9
1	9	4	2	5	3	7	8	6
7	5	3	6	8	9	2	1	4

Sudoku is a number-placing puzzle based on a 9x9 grid with several given numbers. The object is to place the numbers 1 to 9 in the empty squares so that each row, each column and each 3x3 box contains the same number only once. The difficulty level of the Concept is Sudoku increases from Monday to Sunday.

CROSS WORD

ACROSS:

1 Sri Lankan bowler Chandana of recent past
5 Cert. Public. Accts.
9 Advisory Map Display
12 A lake or pond
13 Kind and good
14 Regional Airline Assoc.
15 Conveys bad tidings gently? (6,3,4)
18 Citizen of Muscat
19 Exaggerated publicity
20 Long and historical period of time
22 Curse
26 SA wine-producing region
30 Give the ___ : dismiss?
31 ___ Paar: 1954 Guru Dutt movie
32 They are used by women to conceal their faces
34 Standing Room Only, abbr.
35 Stern; unrelenting
37 Induce, compel or persuade
39 Applied lubricants to
41 Having no value or existence; as in, "His credit rating is __ "?
42 Huron's neighbour
45 A North American born of Japanese parents
49 Stared malevolently (6,7)
53 Spanish queen
54 Water plant
55 Little ___ : Dickensian character?
56 Air Transp. Radio
57 Chemicals used to colour fabrics
58 Cut, snicker - "seen" anagram?

DOWN

1 Boss of a shield
2 Process of curling or waving one's hair, in a way?
3 Nitrogenous fertilizer
4 Not as fat?
5 Central nervous system, acronym
6 Spongy substance in the stem of a plant
7 Sore, as muscles
8 Oozes through
9 Have being
10 Informal term for the mouth?
11 ___ Kapital : Karl Marx's magnum opus?
16 Russian ballet company
17 Information in newspapers or on TV?
21 Between two ports
23 Compass point
24 An area of ground
25 Howard Hughes studio
26 Adriatic port or ex-Pakistani wicket keeper
27 Seed coat?
28 Thus used or spelt, etc.; so in Latin?
29 Alternate, abbr.
31 Long, long ___ : a fairy tale beginning?
33 Taking to court
36 Mild and humble
38 Affiliates with
40 Apprehension, consternation or dismay
43 Frivolously; loiteringly
44 Border
46 Observed
47 Mystery writer who created Perry Mason (first name only)
48 Insular land
49 A tract of open ground, especially a grassland or a meadow
50 Ontario, in short
51 Put one's ___ in: meddle or interfere?
52 Rough, cindery volcanic discharges

YESTERDAY'S ANSWER:

C	O	P	Y	■	B	E	R	G	■	H	A	T
A	P	A	E	■	E	T	A	L	■	E	L	O
P	E	R	M	■	A	P	P	E	A	R	E	D
■	■	T	E	A	K	■	■	A	I	R	E	D
G	A	I	N	S	■	S	A	N	D	■	■	■
U	S	S	■	K	I	N	G	■	S	A	M	E
L	I	A	■	M	O	E	■	■	N	E	Y	■
F	A	N	G	■	P	U	S	H	■	T	A	E
■	■	■	R	U	S	T	■	A	M	E	N	D
Y	O	K	E	L	■	■	E	W	E	R	■	■
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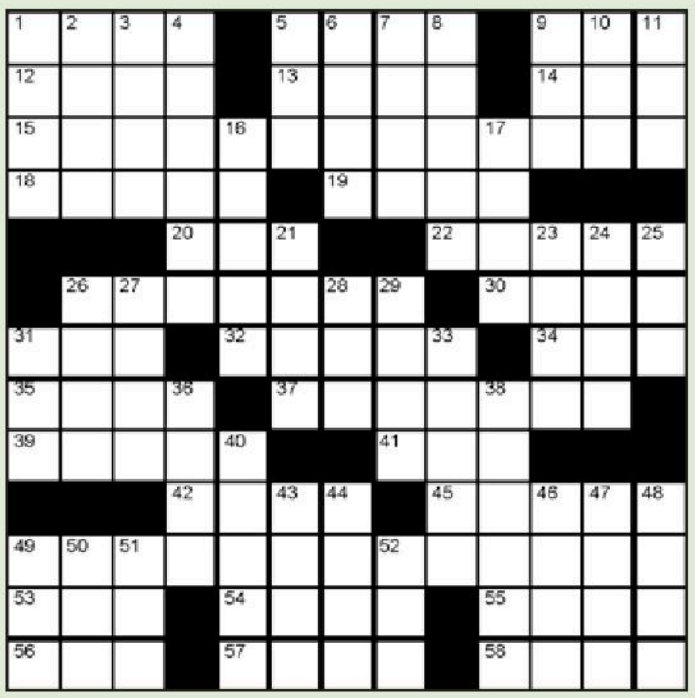

CRYPTOQUIP

The Cryptoquip is a substitution cipher in which one letter stands for another. If you think that X equals O, it will equal O throughout the puzzle. Single letters, short words and words using an apostrophe give you clues to locating vowels. Solution is by trial and error.

AVBVP EVRPA NW ZW RAGNXUAL: UM GWQ ZWA'N EVRPA,

GWQ'EE REJRGH MUAZ HWOVWAV VEHV NW ZW UN MWP GWQ

TODAY'S CLUE: A EQUALS N

Yesterday's Cryptoquip: Most people are other people. Their thoughts are someone else's opinions, their lives a mimicry, their passions a quotation.

NOW SHOWING

Movie	Theatre	Phone	Shows
KANNADA			
Chitte	Prabha	2423569	2 Shows
**121#*	Prabha	2423569	2 Shows
Raambo 2	Gayathri	2443568	4 Shows
	Thibbadevi	2452958	4 Shows
	Mahadeshwara	9900820093	4 Shows
Amma I Love You	Saraswathi	2541451	4 Shows
	Sangam	2520494	4 Shows
Tagaru	Shanthala	2427584	4 Shows
Hyper	Woodlands	2422871	4 Shows
Aranya Kanda	Olympia	2420737	4 Shows
Kulfi	Padma	2521923	4 Shows
V2	Lakshmi	2443584	4 Shows
HINDI			
Sanju	Sri Nagaraj	2520490	4 Shows
	Sterling	2481170	4 Shows
	Rajkamal	2423554	4 Shows
Kaala	Balaji Deluxe	2497199	4 Shows
----------	Uma	2520009	4 Shows
RENOVATION WORKS UNDERWAY			
---	Lido	2420885	---
---	Sri Maruthi	9980351129	---
---	Skyline	2481170	---

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Incredibles 2 (E-3D)	(S-1)	11.15 am, 1.45 pm, 7.25
	(S-2)	9.55 pm
Sanju (H)	(S-1)	4.15 pm, 9.55 pm
	(S-2)	6.40 pm
	(S-3)	9.50 pm
	(S-4)	9.55 am, 1.05 pm
		6.45 pm, 9.55 pm
Hyper (K)	(S-2)	10.50 am
Jurassaic World (E-2D)	(S-2)	1.30 pm
	(S-4)	4.10 pm
Parmanu - Story of Pokhran (H)	(S-2)	4.10 pm
Raazi (H)	(S-3)	10.45 am
Veere Di Wedding (H)	(S-3)	1.30 pm
Amma I Love You (K)	(S-3)	4.05 pm
Ee Nagaraniki Emaindi (Te)	(S-3)	7.00 pm

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Sanju (H)	(S-1)	12.35 pm, 6.25 pm, 9.50
	(S-2)	10.50 am, 2.10 pm, 5.30 pm, 8.50 pm
	(S-3)	9.55 am
	(S-4)	3.25 pm, 9.15 pm
Incredibles 2 (E-3D)	(S-1)	10.00 am, 3.50 pm
Incredibles 2 (E-2D)	(S-4)	6.40 pm
Semma Botha Aagatha (Ta)	(S-3)	1.10 pm
Chitte (K)	(S-3)	4.00 pm
Jurassaic World (E-2D)	(S-3)	6.45 pm
Ee Nagaraniki Emaindi (Te)	(S-3)	9.30 pm
Hyper (K)	(S-4)	10.05 am
Kulfi (K)	(S-4)	12.50 pm

NOTE: Movie timings published here are subject to sudden change by the theatre managements. The films are also liable to be changed in multiplexes if there are no minimum audience of 15 to the film announced here.

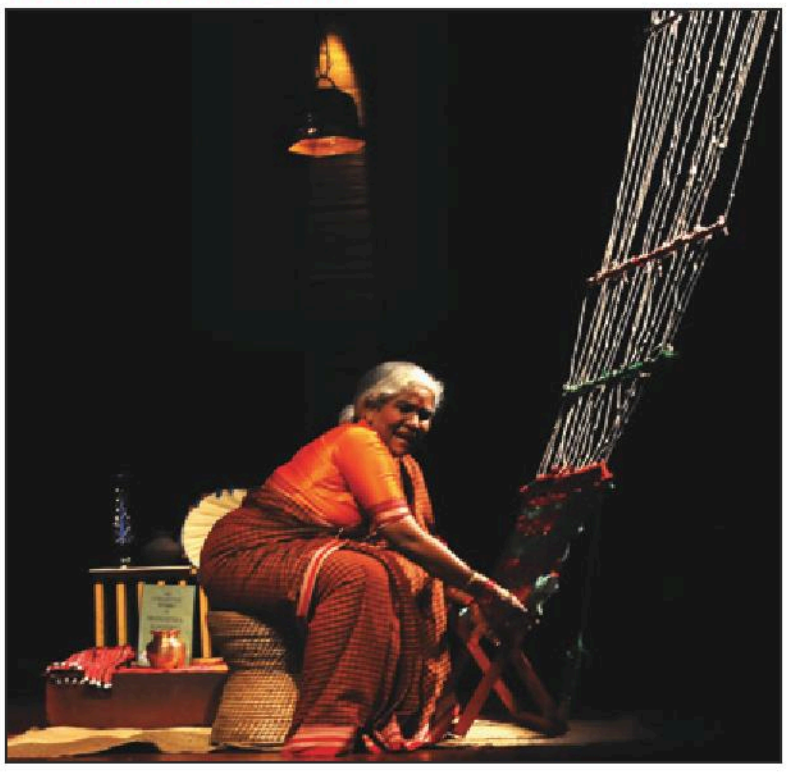
TV TONIGHT

6:30 pm Jeet Gayi Toh	6:00 pm Yeh Rishta	6:00 pm Crime Patrol Satark
Piya Morey	Kya Kehlata Hai	7:00 Mere Sai
7:00 Woh Apna Sa	6:30 Sabse Smart Kaun?	7:30 Vighnaharta Ganesh
7:30 Kaleerein	7:30 Mariam Khan Reporting Live	8:00 Porus
8:00 Zindagi Ki Mehek	8:00 Har Shaakh Pe Ullu Baithaa Hai	8:30 10 Ka Dum
8:30 Piyaa Albela	8:30 Kullfi Kumarr Bajewala	9:30 Yeh Pyaar Nahi Toh Kya Hai
9:00 Kumkum Bhagya	9:00 Krishna Chali London	10:00 Dil Hi Toh Hai
6:00 pm How Do They Do It?	6:00 pm Kabaddi Masters Dubai 2018 Hls	6:00 pm Primal Survivor
6:30 Food Factory	6:30 Football United - IL	7:00 Ultimate Airport Dubai
7:00 Wild Frank	7:00 Vivo IPL 2018 Hls	8:00 Animal Fight Club
8:00 Man Vs. Wild	7:30 Kabaddi Masters Dubai 2018	9:00 Science Of Stupid
9:00 Man Vs. Wild	8:00 Global T20 Canada 2018 Hls	9:30 Primal Survivor
10:00 Man Vs. Wild	8:30 Kabaddi Masters Dubai 2018	10:00 Spectacular Bridges
11:00 Naked And Afraid	9:00 Game Plan - Eng Vs Ind 2018	11:00 Unpublished
7:00 pm Oggy And The Cockroaches	7:00 pm Gouri	6:30 pm Jo Jo Laali
7:30 Roll No. 21	7:30 Ennu Swantham Jani	7:00 Kaveri
8:00 Roll No. 21	8:00 Shaneeswaran	7:30 Avalu
9:00 Teen Titans Go!	9:00 Nandhini	8:00 Brahamhastra
10:00 Ben 10	9:30 Sree Bhadrakali	8:30 Nandini
11:00 Dragon Ball Super	10:00 Kadhakalkkappuram	9:00 Jeeva Nadi
	10:30 Mahaganapathi	9:30 Manasa Sarovara

MOVIES TONIGHT

3:47 pm **Avatar**	4:40 pm **Constantine**	5:12 pm **Beauty &Beast**
7:05 **Ice Age**	6:43 **Suicide Squad**	7:07 **Skiptrace**
8:59 **Night At The Museum**	9:00 **Wonder Woman**	9:01 **Jack Reacher**
11:15 **Thor: The Dark World**	11:32 **Don't Breathe**	11:02 **The Specialist**
5:54 pm **Hero No. Zero 2**	5:38 pm **Welcome**	2:45 Pm **Ranbhoomi**
8:55 **Sura**	8:54 **Businessman 2**	6:20 Teleshopping
11:50 **Satyadev : The Fearless Cop**	11:48 **Jackson The Paying Guest**	7:20 **Hawalaat**
		11:00 **Mohabbat Ki Aag**
5:25 pm **Resident Evil**	4:00 pm **Villain**	1:25 pm **The Real Jackpot**
6:59 **Annabelle**	7:00 **Veerabahu**	4:34 **Sholay**
8:36 **Battleship**	10:00 **Samayakondu Sullu**	9:00 **Prem Ratan Dhan Payo**
10:59 **Hot Fuzz**		

Kamaladevi comes alive on stage



Indian social reformer and freedom fighter Kamaladevi Chattopadhyay was brought alive on stage by Seagull Theatre and Ba-Srushti as they presented the Kannada play 'Kamaladevi Chattopadhyay (Kelavu Nenapugalu)' at Bhoomigeeta auditorium in Rangayana premises on Sunday. The play, based on Kamaladevi Chattopadhyay's autobiography, is written by Vaidehi and was directed by Bhagirathi Bai Kadam.

EVENTS TODAY (JULY 3)

Sahara Art And Craft Shopping Festival: Handicraft and Handloom Expo, Scouts and Guides Ground, behind DC's office, **up to 9.30 pm.**

Fun World and Resorts (I) Pvt. Ltd: Mysuru Utsava-2018 Exhibition featuring wildlife models, 3D paintings and replica of world's tallest building Burj Khalifa, Dasara Exhibition Grounds, **3 pm to 10 pm.**

Charvaka: Kathanatakotsava-2018, staging of play 'Mathobba Mahamayi' by Aata-Maata Samskrutika Patha, Dharwad, Mini Theatre, Kalamandira, **6.30 pm.**

Suyog Hospital and Suyog Diabetes Patients Association, Mysuru: National Doctors' Day, MDJA President C.K. Mahendra inaugurates, Hospital Chairman Dr. S. P. Yoganna presides, felicitation to Dr. Anand (Anaesthetist), Dr. Ambarish Bhandiwad (Gynaecologist & Obstetrician) and Dr. J. Rajagopal (senior Cardiologist), Hospital premises, Ramakrishnanagar, **5.30 pm**

EVENTS TOMORROW (JULY 4)

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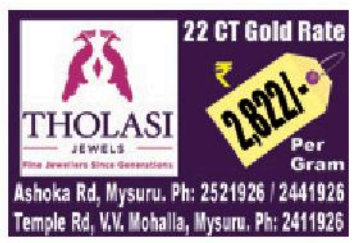
Inter-University Centre for Teacher Education, MHRD, Government of India, New Delhi and Regional Institute of Education (RIE), NCERT, Mysuru: Valedictory of National Conference on 'Issues and Challenges of Teachers and Teacher Educators Working in Rural, Remote and Tribal Areas,' keynote address by Dr. W.R. Reddy, Director General, NIRDPR, Hyderabad, guest speaker - Dr. P.K. Shivanandan, former Chairman of Kerala State SC/ST Development Commission, Kerala and Prof. Avinash Kumar Singh, Department of Educational Policy, NIEPA, New Delhi, Recommendation and Future Course of Action by Prof. Y. Sreekanth, Principal, Regional Institute of Education, NCERT, Mysuru, A.V. Hall, Technology Block, RIEM, **3.30 pm.**

Charvaka: Kathanatakotsava-2018, staging of play 'Please Arrest Me' by Aata-Maata Samskrutika Patha, Dharwad, Mini Theatre, Kalamandira premises, **6.30 pm.**



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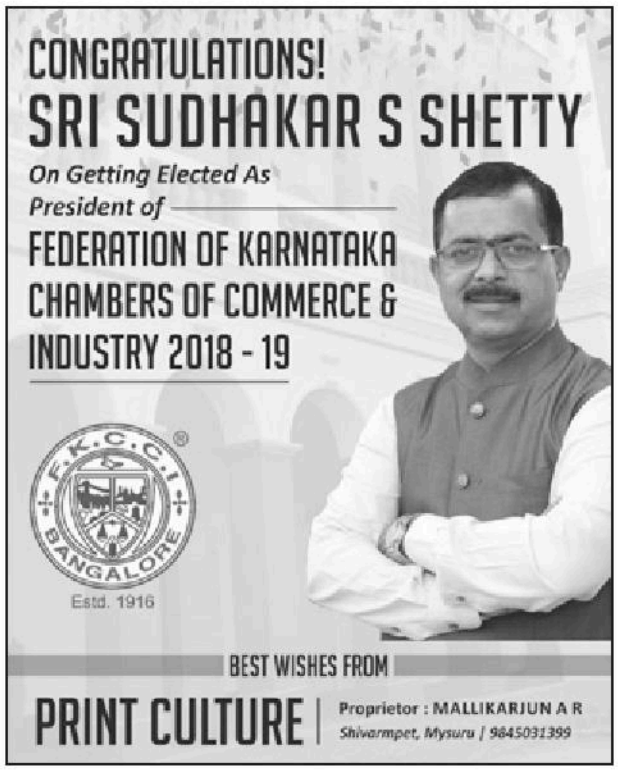

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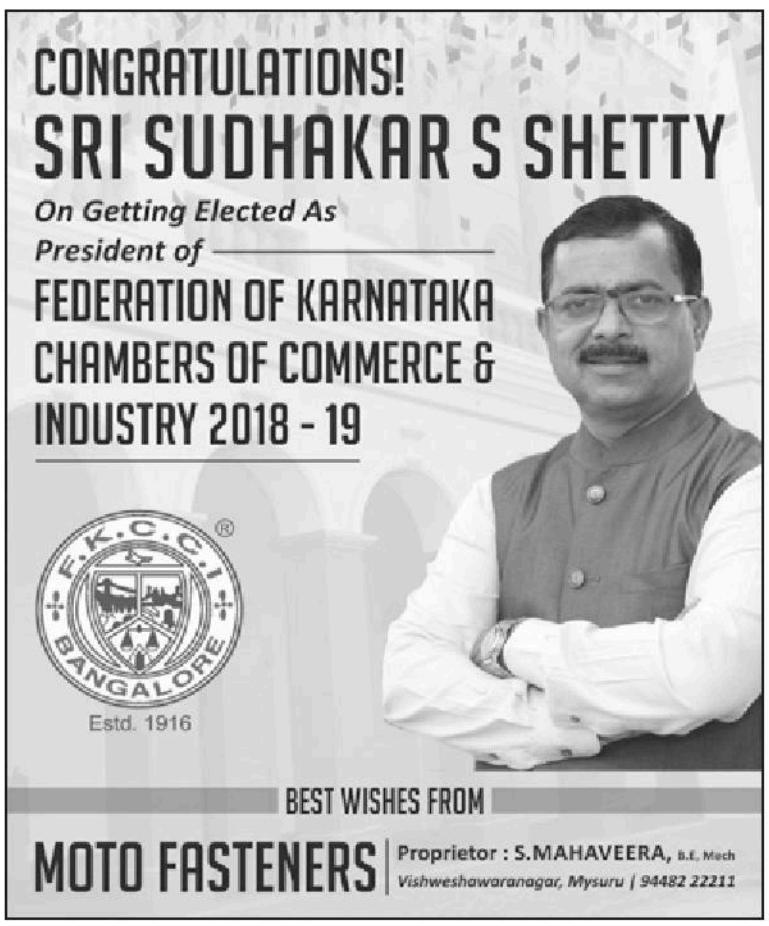

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